

## 200 OR MORE DIE IN HOLIDAY TRAGEDIES

## Today

SHORT AND GOOD.  
15,000,000 YEARS AGO.  
SIX BILLION POUNDS  
READING AND THOUGHT.

By Arthur Brisbane  
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President Hoover's Christmas day message had all the necessary good qualities. It was short, only 37 words. It wasted none of the few words on regrets or wailings about conditions.

Mr. Hoover uttered the formal hope for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, and will do all that he can to make the latter real.

There is hard work ahead for everybody, and whining on Christmas would not make it easier.

In northern Alberta, engineers of the Canadian government have discovered the oldest preserved trees in the world. Their branches were waving over strange animals, including uncouth half-developed men, 15,000,000 years ago, when our continent was connected with Asia.

That makes our giant redwood trees, "2,000 years old when Christ was born," seem very young.

Hermetically sealed in bitumen tanks, safe from the destroying air, the wood was perfectly preserved, with some of its leaves, and the insects that were attacking both, when all were buried together.

Dr. Bailey of Harvard, proves that one of the trees is a Japanese variety.

Those old trees, growing on a huge continent that included North American and Japan 15,000,000 years ago, make our few days and little troubles seem less important.

There is trouble on Henry Ford's gigantic rubber plantations in Brazil, where Ford agents are developing 6,000,000 acres of tropical land. It is interesting to think how many pythons, jaguars and monkeys will be disturbed by tractors and plows that are going day and night, working under floodlights in the cooler night hours.

Included among other inhabitants of some human beings that resent being disturbed, and the Brazilian government sends police by airplane to make them realize that Ford, bringing "American living conditions and wages," should be made welcome.

Planting trees always means looking ahead, usually to the next generation. But with rubber it is not so slow. The trees that Ford has already planted in Brazil will yield, 10 years hence, 6,000,000,000 pounds of rubber a year.

Rubber was Brazil's monopoly until a few years ago. Then Brazil began growing coffee, taking the world trade from Java, and a clever individual in England successfully moved the rubber growing to Joppa, where it was then unknown. Now Ford promises to bring the world's rubber production back to the South American continent.

According to Bacon, "Reading makes a full man." British statistics prove that hard times create more reading. Books of all kinds, including worthwhile books on science, biology, astronomy, technology, etc., have increased in number of publications and in total sales.

When life is easy, the average man does little thinking. In trouble, he thinks hard, and for thinking he

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## TEMPERATURES

Salem Weather Report

Yesterday noon ..... 27  
Yesterday, 6 p.m. ..... 33  
Midnight ..... 36  
Today, 6 a.m. ..... 32  
Today, noon ..... 35  
Maximum ..... 37  
Minimum ..... 31  
Precipitation, inches ..... 0.00

Year Ago Today ..... 35  
Minimum ..... 23

## Nation Wide Reports

(By Associated Press)

City Today Max.

Atlanta ..... 34 cloudy

Boston ..... 32 cloudy

Buffalo ..... 32 snow

Chicago ..... 32 cloudy

Cincinnati ..... 32 snow

Cleveland ..... 34 snow

Columbus ..... 32 snow

Denver ..... 18 clear

Detroit ..... 34 cloudy

Kansas City ..... 30 cloudy

Los Angeles ..... 52 clear

Mem. ..... 72 cloudy

New York ..... 52 cloudy

Pittsburgh ..... 36 rain

Portland, Ore. ..... 34 cloudy

St. Louis ..... 30 snow

San Francisco ..... 44 clear

Tampa ..... 62 cloudy

Washington ..... 38 cloudy

Yesterday's High ..... 70 cloudy

San Antonio ..... 62 part cloudy

Today's Low ..... 4 clear

Winnemucca ..... 0 cloudy

CHRISTMAS EVE  
TRAGEDY TAKES  
COUPLE'S LIVES

Husband Shoots Wife And  
Kills Self In Wells-  
ville Home

FAILS TO EFFECT  
RECONCILIATION  
Funeral Services for Mrs.  
Pearl Whalen To Be  
Held Saturday

(By Brush-Moore Leased Wire)  
WELLSVILLE, Dec. 26.—Funeral services will be held here Saturday at 2 p.m. for Mrs. Pearl Whalen, 43, who was shot to death Christmas eve by her estranged husband, John Whalen, 50, Wheeling, W. Va., restaurateur, who then killed himself.

The double shooting occurred in the home of Mrs. Whalen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore.

The tragedy, it is said, was prompted by Whalen's inability to effect a reconciliation with his wife from whom he had been separated for three weeks.

Using an automatic, Whalen, who followed his wife here, fired seven shots, six of which took effect, as the woman attempted to flee up a stairway, police said.

As his wife lay at his feet, Whalen fired a shot in his chest and then into his head.

He was taken to the East Liverpool hospital where he died three hours later.

Whalen's body was taken Thursday.

Both had previously been married. Mrs. Whalen leaves a son and Whalen is survived by two sons and two daughters, both by former marriages.

NORRIS ASKED  
TO BOLT PARTY

Senator Tendered Leader-  
ship Of New Political  
Group

(By Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Senator George W. Norris has an invitation today from John Dewey, chairman of the League for Independent Political action, to bolt the Republicans and lead a third political party.

In a letter to the senator from Nebraska, Dewey, formerly professor of philosophy at Columbia university, told him he was not a true Republican as charged by Robert H. Lucas, executive director of the party that the time was ripe for his leadership of a new political group.

"In light of your recent experience with leaders of the Republican party," Dr. Dewey wrote, "I urge that you sever forever your connections with that political machine and form with those of us in the league and other groups a new party to which you can give your full allegiance."

SLUG CASHIER,  
STEAL CAB CASH

Two Masked Bandits Hold Up Auto  
Company Office And Escape  
With \$1,200

CLEVELAND, Dec. 26.—Slugging the cashier and holding another employee at bay with a revolver, two masked bandits today held up the office of the Yellow Cab company and escaped with loot of \$1,200 cash.

Robert Milor, 22, the cashier, was reported in a serious condition at Lakeside hospital with a possible skull fracture which he received when one of the bandits struck him with the butt of his revolver.

Lamar will be arraigned before Mayor John M. Davidson this afternoon.

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Christmas Program  
Is Given By Grange

A Christmas program featured a meeting of Mt. Nebo grange Wednesday evening at the hall, Salem-Lisbon road. The children of the grange members contributed the numbers. An exchange of gifts was a feature.

The new officers will be installed at an all-day meeting on New Year's day. An oyster dinner will be served.

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## Fire Loss \$30,000

CINCINNATI, Dec. 26.—Fire yesterday damaged the engine room and water softening department of the Union Reduction company here to extent of about \$30,000.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

STRICTLY FRESH COUNTRY

EGGS, 28¢ DOZ., 2 FOR 55¢;

TOILET PAPER, 6 ROLLS 25¢;

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W. L. FULTS MARKET, 199 SOUTH BROADWAY.

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## MACCABEE OLD TIME DANCE

EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT, MAC-

CABEE HALL, SALEM, ROUP'S

ENTERTAINERS.

## Open Friends' Meeting House

AVIATION GROWS;  
LINDY TELLS OF  
RAPID PROGRESS

Flying Colonel Talks Of  
Then And Now In  
Air History

PREDICTS SPEED  
JUMP IN FUTURE

Has Not Completed Plans  
For Tour Of South  
America

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Aviation has come a long way since a young fellow from Missouri took off from Roosevelt field four years ago next May and flew to Paris. Col. Charles A. Lindbergh believes.

The world's best known flier talked today of aviation as it was five years ago and as it is now; of low wings and high wings; of engines and speed and radio—topics that are the very breath of life to him.

Cites Flying's Progress

He said:

"We have had more progress in the development of aircraft in the last five years than could have been foreseen at that time."

In 1925, a good cruising speed was 90 miles an hour. Today we have planes of the same class with cruising speeds as high as 140 miles an hour. The air mail De Havillands we used in 1925 had a carrying capacity of about 400 pounds. Planes today of the same horsepower cruise at least 20 miles an hour faster and carry from three to four times that load.

The same with the business or sport plane, flown by the non-professional pilot. It is more stable. It is easier to operate, and it is much simpler to learn how to fly it. The cost of operation of a privately owned plane today is only a fraction of the cost of a few years back.

Just Like An Auto

"The small, private plane of 85 to 100 miles an hour, cruising speed can be operated today at practically the same cost as a medium-priced automobile."

The cruising speed of several well-known transport planes has been increased several miles an hour during the past year. Col. Lindbergh remarked, and he expects to see it stepped up at least 10 miles an hour more in 1931. The best large transport planes today have a cruising speed of 105 to 115 miles an hour and a top of 130 to 145.

The increase in air transport planes has been phenomenal, the colonel believes. Three years ago there were only a few short passenger airlines in the United States. Today they link every important city in a national network. Two

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SENATOR URGES  
FIVE-DAY WEEK

Democratic Leader Suggests Meth-  
ods Of Restoring Labor  
Equilibrium

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Representative Garner of Texas, Democratic house leader, today was championing legislation for payment to veterans of the present value of their compensation certificates.

He advocated a plan giving the veterans option to turn in their certificates now and receive the original settlement value plus four per cent interest, or to hold it to maturity.

It would cost about a billion dollars, Garner contended, which he said the treasury could obtain by borrowing at between one and three fourths and one and seven eighths per cent.

"I doubt," he said, "if the treasury even again will be able to secure money at such a low rate for the discharge of this obligation."

The Texan advanced his belief that not more than 60 per cent of the veterans would present their certificates at this time, but he argued the release of the sum represented by this proportion would contribute materially to restore the economic balance."

The Democratic senate leader, in a statement made upon his return home for the holiday recess of congress, observed that "unemployment seems to be increasing rather than diminishing" and the substitution of machinery for hand labor is revolutionizing working conditions and throwing millions out of employment."

He said "manifestly, it is difficult for the five day week to be brought about during an economic crisis like the present" and that it like the proposed establishment of reserves for unemployment, is of permanent rather than temporary character.

"Many circumstances," said the senator, "indicate that temporary measures will be insufficient. Although, of course, they first must be considered."

He added that the \$116,000,000 appropriated by congress for speeding up public works "appears inadequate."

"There are some signs of general business improvement, but the recovery cannot be quickly made," Robinson said, "meanwhile every agency, both public and private, must cooperate wholeheartedly to minimize the distress."

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**DIRECT PUNISHMENT**

Six youthful residents of North Branch, Mich., charged with theft were given a sound horsewhipping this week under order of their parents. When the judge heard of the punishment, administered shortly before court convened, he placed the lads on probation until next June, declaring he approved the extra-legal means of bringing them to their senses.

There was a time when the circumstance of young men under 20 years of age being horsewhipped by parental order would not have attracted so much interest. Rods have not always been spared with the meticulous caution characteristic of many American parents of the prevailing generation. Indeed, there once was a time when parents guarded their prerogatives of rearing children in the way they should go as zealously as certain advocates of states' rights are coming to guard their authority. The law of the group was there to use in case everything else failed, but sole dependence was not placed upon it; at least, there were fewer parents who left the state the responsibility of rearing their offspring.

It is tempting to speculate what still might be accomplished with the whip and the rod were they to be administered a bit more freely today by parents inclined to be jealous of their family responsibilities. Unfortunately, however, those who have the most frequent occasions to use them usually seem to have the least capacity to use them intelligently.

**POLITICAL TRADING**

The Labor and Liberal parties of Great Britain are expected to attempt an interesting exchange of support when Parliament re-convenes after the holiday recess. The Laborites will introduce a bill providing for proportional representation in future general elections as a concession to the Liberals, who will be expected, in return, to lend their support to continuance of the MacDonald government. If the trade is successful and satisfactory to both parties, Great Britain will continue to have three major political parties, the Conservatives constituting the third.

The bill provides that voters in constituencies with more than two candidates may express their preferences—first, second and third choice. In case no candidate receives a majority as first choice, the lowest candidate is dropped, and the next choice votes counted until one candidate receives a clear majority. It is the same system employed in Cleveland, Cincinnati and Hamilton, in this state. It is interesting to know that Ashtabula for the first city in the United States to adopt preferential voting, abolished it by referendum in 1929. The obvious case of it is the fact that it tends to prevent votes for minority candidates from being cast in vain, thereby affording minority parties a better chance for political representation.

In England, for instance, the Liberal party received 23 per cent of the votes cast at the last general election, but returned only 10 per cent of the House of Commons. Labor, on the other hand, with only 37 per cent of the vote, returned 47 per cent of the house. It is a considerable concession for Labor to make to the Liberals, but if Liberal support is assured in return it will be worth it. There is, also, the matter of certain laws passed under the preceding Conservative government concerning trade union funds and sympathetic strikes. Labor wants these laws modified, and plans to modify them with Liberal help. It is a most interesting example of political trading.

**What Others Say**  
THE PERNICIOUS TAX EXEMPT BOND.

In his recent annual report, Secretary Mellon said that states and subdivisions of states continue to issue tax-exempt securities at the rate of \$1,000,000,000 a year. The secretary made his statement in connection with a reminder that the treasury department some time ago "earnestly recommended the adoption of a constitutional amendment permitting the federal and state governments, respectively, to tax those securities to be issued in the future, which under present constitutional provisions are not taxable."

During the postwar reconstruction period, the subject of tax-exempt securities and their effect on the general financial and business condition received more attention than it is getting today, but the evil such securities in large quantities work is just as real now as it ever was. These securities make a privileged class of their holders, and are highly discriminatory against the general taxpayer who represents the most productive element in the country, in that they force him to meet the burden of a public expense that ought to be borne by all men alike. Owners of billions of dollars of capital escape all contribution to the public treasury by purchasing and holding tax-exempt bonds; and the man who invests his money in business or in real property in effect, as a penalty or fine for taking risks and working hard to promote the general prosperity of the country.

Tax-exempt securities produce another equally vicious effect by placing a premium on reckless public spending. Because of the special privilege that possession of these securities gives to their owners, they are easily salable at a low rate of interest, and the impulse of the typical state or local government is to resort to them in order to gratify any plausible desires, whims or wishes that officials or the general public may happen to cherish.

Some billions of dollars probably have been needlessly spent and to a considerable extent, wasted in this way. Inevitably public debts have piled up in an appalling way, and, contrary to a general impression, the money borrowed has not even been cheap money.

The state or city which considers the issuance of tax-exempt bonds, carrying a low rate of interest, more economical than the issuance of non-tax-exempt bonds carrying a higher rate, fools itself. By reducing the general tax-paying power through exemptions, by piling taxation burdens on those who as a whole are the least able to bear them, by succumbing to temptation to reckless spending, by causing the withdrawal of immense sums from the amount available for business investment and enterprise, the governmental body issuing tax-exempt bonds invites a penalty far in excess of the apparent advantage.

Any way you look at it, the tax-exempt security is an evil as it exists in this country; and there probably would be a good deal of instruction in a knowledge of the extent to which it has contributed to the present condition of depression.—Detroit Free Press.

**Editorial Quips**

**A More Trifle**  
Dr. Einstein gets no kick out of being given the key to the city. What he is hunting for is the key to the universe.—Minneapolis.

**Advance Punishment**

The Illinois official who performed a marriage ceremony in verse may be that poetic justice we have heard so much about.—Dallas Journal.

**Would Be Appreciated**

Fascists may be right in saying that "Europe has too much liberty," but we could stand a little more of it on this side.—Boston Transcript.

**Throwing the Bull Its Prerogative**

Every effort to put on a bull fight at various places in this country is immediately blocked, congress being jealous of its privileges.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

**In Clover Now**

Mr. Coolidge gets a dollar a word for his writings. Who remembers the old days when a president had no chance for promotion?—Akron Beacon Journal.

**In a Class by Itself**

Paris is going to hold another world's fair. American cities envy Paris in its facility of giving a world's fair whenever it feels in the nation.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

**Having Trouble With It, Too**

"Ride the wind and direct the storm is all a government can do," says Ramsay MacDonald. Our government's problem is riding the storm and directing the wind.—Judge.

**It Gets 'Em All**

Farmers have suffered from drought which threatened to close the Panama canal. Nature when in an unfriendly mood spares neither greater nor small enterprises.—Washington Star.

**It Would Make 'Em Sit Up**

The screen wox of the year would be a talking picture chat between Professor Einstein, who redefined the universe, and Professor Rockne, who licked it.—Chicago News.

**Utterly Unappreciated**

A dramatic critic says a poor talkie is worse than no talkie at all. The same is true of a poor talkie. Dumbness in this country has never been appreciated half enough.—San Bernardino Sun.

**Absolutely Regardless**

Mount Wilson has clocked a few nebulae 8,000 miles a second and paying no attention whatever to step and go signs.—Minneapolis Journal.

**New Mogul of Music in U. S.**



William S. Paley, president of Columbia Broadcasting System, is now czar of concerts in the United States, as the result of a merger of seven leading concert

bureaus into Columbia Concert Corporation, with Paley as head.

He is shown (seated right) signing the contract in New York City with associates as witnesses.

(Issue of Dec. 26, 1910)

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Close, with Lundy street, celebrated the 20th anniversary of their wedding Saturday evening. An oyster supper was served. Some of the guests were from Hanoverton and North Benton.

Gallipolis—Two fast freights on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad collided this morning and killed five men, whose homes are in Parkersburg.

Lisbon—While engaged in attending the wants of Christmas shoppers, Saturday evening, James R. Dorrance, 68, veteran business man of this community, was taken ill and died while physicians were attending him.

Mrs. Mercy Macintosh, of Dalton, who died Tuesday morning at her home, was the mother of S. E. Macintosh, of Salem. She had lived in Damascus for about 23 years.

Mrs. Cera Barckhoff, Mr. and Mrs. T. Birby and Fritz Barckhoff of Cleveland, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Barckhoff, Broadway Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Emmarene McCracken, Ohio avenue, who suffered a stroke of paralysis Sunday morning was reported Tuesday to be slightly improved.

Samuel L. Woolman, East Seventh street, suffered a stroke of paralysis Sunday.

Atty. Frank B. Fults, Cleveland, visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fults, Penn street, over Christmas.

Miss Alice Taggart and Rush Taggart, Jr., spent Christmas with relatives here.

Washington—Admiral Dewey is one of the few heroes of history who celebrate their birthdays and Christmas simultaneously. The admiral was 73 years old on Christmas.

Never see a new shaving brush without a yen to buy. Sailing Baruch. The beautiful lady reputed queen of the drug ring—a sick oyster spawning the proverbial pearl. The once magnificent hotel where Anna Held took her milk bath—now third rate McClelland Barclay, the artist.

Those banjo boys with the lively patter who carry on in night clubs. But so shy in daylight. Zip—and Broadway night bursts into zig-zag flame. As exciting as one of those breathless one word sentences of Fannie Hurst's. In spite of protests, this is all today.

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According to the lunar transits affecting the affairs of this day, there should be much activity and social, domestic or affectional liveliness. The general gaiety of the annual holidays will probably be accentuated, with many pleasurable engagements, romantic developments and friendly contacts. But there may be need for restraint in the matter of reckless or indulgent excesses, and a tendency to shabby and impulsive words.

Those whose birthday it is may expect a year in which the personal or purely social interests may engage the attention, although there may be some moderate business activities. Social, domestic and affectional matters and friendships are uppermost, and these should not be complicated by a propensity to rash and impetuous acts or speech. A child born on this day may be quick and energetic, ready with swift tongue and rash acts, but at the same time should be friendly, gracious and enjoy great social popularity.

I locked myself in my coop today to be free of disturbances and catch up with work. In about an hour a smart alec dropped in and after pouring vanity on a door shouted: "You will have to get that woman out of there! And the way he said it, you could tell he has been about!"

I am told, however, the authority of house detectives in New York hotels has been greatly curtailed. They are not, in the best interests permitted above the first floor. Their have cost huge sums in damage frequent blunders and lack of tact.

Speaking of white hair, a rose checked young girl—a secretary type—with violet eyes and a figure fashion experts would call superb is often seen in the 42d street neighborhood. Dressed plainly in black, her hair is snow white. And what an eyeful!

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Barney Gallant was the last to hold aloft the Bohemian torch in Greenwich Village, but my spies tell me that even his night club has "gone untown." The monocle has taken place of the poetical horn-rimmed cheater and costly emine the Grecian robe and sandal.

And Walter O'Keefe, the minnesinger at Barney's repeats a rumor there is a lot of bad orange juice going around.

From a writer's magazine: "It is difficult to describe just what sort of literary niche the columnist fills."

There must be some name for it.

TRY THE SALEM NEWS

**HEALTH**

By Dr. Royal S. Copeland

CARE OF THE EYES

During the past decade various preventive medical and hygienic measures have helped us to overcome many unfortunate and unnecessary evils. We are living in the age of progress.

The care of children's teeth has only recently become a matter of general attention. The reporting of children to dentists for the care of their teeth, has aided greatly

in the decrease of common ailments of childhood. Not only has this precautionary move helped our future citizens to have stronger teeth but also it has assisted us of their having sturdier bodies.

But I am sorry to say there has been neglect in the care of the eyes of children. Why we should neglect a part of the body so important as the eyes is difficult to understand.

It is most important to determine the clearness of vision of the child's eyes at the earliest age. Should there be any defect in vision in one or both of the eyes, it is far simpler to correct this in childhood than at a later stage.

Frequently children with defective vision are backward in their schoolwork. The child at times actually appears stupid and may be extremely difficult to handle. In truth these children are handicapped because of poor vision. If the defect is corrected the child will be able to carry on his work with his classmates.

Eyestrain is a common occurrence in children. To prevent it they should be kept outdoors as much as possible. The teeth and nasal passages should be kept in good condition. Where any physical defects are present they should be kept in good condition.

Where any physical defects are present they should be remedied by prompt medical attention.

Chairs, desks and writing tables should be of the right size so that good posture may be maintained. Children should not be permitted to read in dull light or to read bed. Too much light is as bad as too little light, and glaring lights should be avoided. Such eye defects as "farsightedness," "near-sightedness" and "astigmatism" should receive attention at an early age. If necessary children may wear glasses as early as at three years of age. When given attention in early life it is very probable the glasses may be discarded later.

It has been the custom to postpone correction of these conditions until adult life when they have been present ever since childhood. In such cases it often takes many years for marked improvement to take place. If glasses are prescribed

ed in childhood it is possible the conditions will be corrected in a very short time.

It is important that your child have adequate dental care. Every body recognizes that but if there is any doubt in your mind as to the

auto-intoxication, due to some

sort of infection present in your system. Try to locate the cause and treatment can be advised. It might be advisable for you to have your eyes tested.

eyes they should be examined at once by a competent specialist.

Answers to Health & Querries

SENDER.—What causes little black spots to float before my eyes?

A.—You may be troubled with

auto-intoxication, due to some

Pennzip—the super motor fuel.

# After Christmas Sale

## Coats and Dresses

### Now Reduced For Clearance

Formerly sold up to \$12.95

## Dresses

Formerly sold up to \$19.50

## Dresses

Formerly sold up to \$29.50

## Dresses

Formerly sold up to \$39.50

## Dresses

Formerly sold up to \$59.50

## Dresses

## BRITON SEEKING SPEED MARK IN NEW 'BLUE BIRD'

Captain Campbell To Try Next Month For New Auto Record

**By United Press**  
LONDON, Dec. 26.—When Captain Malcolm Campbell blurs down Daytona beach in January he will race driving the most powerful racing car in his hazardous experiments.

The new "Blue Bird" is much lower than the car in which he has driven 214 miles an hour over the same sands in 1928.

When he is seated at the wheel the top of Captain Campbell's head is less than 48 inches from the ground. The car has a clearance of only 3½ inches.

**1,450 Horsepower Motor**

It is powered by a 12-cylinder supercharged Napier motor developing 1,450 horsepower, at 3,600 R.P.M. While in 1928 the engine had only 929 H.P. The bore of the motor is 1397 and the stroke 130.17.

The engine itself weighs 1,114 pounds and thus develops one H.P. for every 4 pounds.

The wheelbase is 12 feet, 6 inches and the length of the car overall is 25 feet, 6 inches.

The car is fitted with a constant mesh type of gearbox, giving three forward speeds and reverse.

**Specialty Made Tires**

The tires are specially made, with a very thin rubber tread and 14-ply canvas. They have been tested up to 300 miles an hour.

The whole car weighs 2½ tons.

The body will be of 16 gauge aluminum, with a heavy steel frame.

From the side it will look not unlike a giant arrow. At the back it has a tall directional fin, at the front a pointed radiator with vent in back to allow escape of air.

Wind resistance has been cut to the minimum in this design, Campbell said.

**Has But 225 Mark**

Just how fast the machine will go can only be told in the final race.

Campbell said it already has huge speed record now is 231 miles an hour, established at the late race.

**Saturday Features**

Tomorrow is to bring, besides the football broadcast:

Something for everyone, conducted by Ernest Neftzger on WABC and stations at 9 a.m.

Child actors on the "Lady Next Door" program describing the first holiday circus of the New York Boys' club from the circus "grounds" over WEAF and network from 2:30 to 3:15 p.m.

## Real Estate Deals Listed In Lisbon

LISBON, Dec. 26.—Real estate transfers have been filed for record as follows:

Hayes Melvine and wife to Mary Roger, 51.99 acres, section 5, St. Clair township; \$1.

Union Savings & Loan Co. to Jay Mason, lot Dewey avenue, East Liverpool; \$5.

John D. Dallis and wife to Stratos, D. Dallis, lots 531-2 Drury Lane, East Liverpool; \$1.

Milton A. Mackay and wife to Bessie Thomaszewska, lot 204, Salem Heights addition, Perry township; \$1,150.

## TODAY

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wants printed information on which sound thought is based.

Twenty billion dollars in gold might help the world considerably. Twenty million earnest thoughts would help it more than any gold. One single accomplishment, based on thought, the production of steam power, paid all the debts that Napoleon saddled on the nations, and gave industry such impetus as never had been dreamed of.

The first day of 1930's last week is past. Six days left to get ready for 1931. In any minute of the six days an idea might come with power to change the destiny of men for all time.

An idea is born in a second. Time develops it, and will power makes it real. All progress is in thought and will.

General Hines, veterans' administrator, has prepared figures to interest veterans of the big war.

Some of them will live 55 years longer. Mortality statistics show that the last will go probably in the year 1985. Some of their widows will last until 2058, which will be 128 years from now.

Those last widows, as young women, will marry very old pensioned veterans, and continue drawing their pensions for many years.

The government has already spent \$5,000,000,000 on veterans' relief. By the end of 1940 it will have spent \$13,000,000,000, \$3,000,000,000 more than it lent Europe in the war.

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## TO-DAY'S RADIO PROGRAMS

### New Year's Features

With Christmas past, radio is beginning to think about its New Year's eve celebration. WEAF and WABC chains are to put on four-hour dancing parties.

WABC will pick up a dance orchestra from the Hotel Plaza in Buenos Aires starting the greeting for the New Year at 10 p.m. (Salem time), which is midnight there. The dance program, which will include a wide variety of orchestras in many sections of the country, will continue until 2 a.m. (Salem time).

The WEAF party starts at 11:30 in New York, switches to Chicago at 12:58 a.m., to Denver at 1:55, to Los Angeles at 2:30, and to San Francisco at 2:55, closing at 3:30.

Dance bands in all these cities and sounds of revelry will make up the four-hour welcome to 1931. The switch to various cities will be timed with the New Year's arrival in each.

### Broadcast Grid Tilt

The last football game of the year, that between the East-West All-Stars tomorrow, is to be broadcast by WABC and others. The broadcast starts at 5 p.m. (Salem time), and will be concluded about two hours later. Ernie Smith will be at the microphone.

### Tonight's Highlights

Try these on your radio set tonight:

Walter C. Teagle, president of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, speaking for the emergency employment committee on the business trend for the New Year, via WEAF and stations at 7 p.m.

Ginger Rogers, guest artist with the Chocolatiers, WJZ group at 8.

Countess Olga Albani, soprano, and the Men About Town trio, WEAF and stations at 8.

Mary McCormic, soprano of the Chicago opera company, and Floyd Gibbons in the revue, WJZ hookup at 8:45.

Invin S. Cobb with the mixed chorus and orchestra at 9:30, WJZ group.

The Theatre of the Air from the liner Leviathan, WEAF and stations at 10:30.

### Saturday Features

Tomorrow is to bring, besides the football broadcast:

Something for everyone, conducted by Ernest Neftzger on WABC and stations at 9 a.m.

Child actors on the "Lady Next Door" program describing the first holiday circus of the New York Boys' club from the circus "grounds" over WEAF and network from 2:30 to 3:15 p.m.

## SEE AMICABLE SETTLEMENT OF RAIL PROBLEM

### Executives Of Eastern Systems Reach Agreement

**By United Press**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Prospects for an amicable settlement of the eastern railroad controversy, with provision for a four-trunk-line setup, were brighter today than at any time within the last six years.

Agreement among leading eastern railroad executives to provide for only four main systems—the New York Central, Baltimore & Ohio, Pennsylvania and Chesapeake & Ohio—as opposed to the interstate commerce commission's proposal for five trunk lines, was reached at a conference this week in New York.

### May Retire Gracefully

That the commission could retire gracefully from its five-system plan was the opinion expressed today by railway men here. Its forthcoming decision in the Wheeling & Lake Erie case, expected next month, provides the commission with the vehicle for a near reversal, without occasioning excess criticism, according to the railroad men.

Under the final consolidation plan, announced by the commission a year ago, the Wheeling, along with the Pittsburgh & West Virginia, was assigned to the fifth (Wabash) seaboard system. It was on the basis of this plan that the taplins contended the commission should approve the Pittsburgh & West Virginia application.

### Excuse for Commission

A good excuse for the commission to deny the application, in the opinion of qualified observers, is the fact the Pennsylvania now holds the majority of P. & W. Va. stock. This, it is claimed, would place the fifth system under Pennsylvania domination, nullifying the consolidation plan. The contention is denied by the taplins, however. They assert they can repurchase the stock on demand. The Pennsylvania bought it originally to protect the taplins' interest during the hectic days after the 1929 market crash, according to the brothers.

Commission acquiescence in the eastern executives' proposal would terminate a long fight of the carriers over numerous short lines, as well as put an end to the bitter opposition on the part of the railroads toward the commission's five-trunk-line plan.

Each of the four principal eastern roads is opposed to the fifth system because it would run through some of the richest and most thickly-settled sections of the east and would cut heavily into their revenues, particularly the Pennsylvanians.

With the fifth system eliminated, it is believed the commission would provide for a great lakes to tide-water line, embracing at least the Wheeling and Lake Erie and Western Maryland.

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## GIFTS TO U. S. ARE SUGGESTED BY LAWMAKERS

### Money, Prohibition, Jobs Appear In Congress

#### Answers

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—A turbulent year in American history is drawing to a close.

It has been a year of business depression, of widespread unemployment, of political turmoil, of economic anxiety.

As the year approaches the end, what is the best Christmas present that could be given to the American people this Yuletide season?

This question was proposed today by International News service to a representative cross-section of the nation's law-makers.

#### Their Answers

Their answers, given below, are interesting:

Senator Watson, Republican, Indiana, majority leader of the senate: "Restoration of Republican prosperity would be the best present the American people could get."

Senator Berah, Republican, Idaho: "Give all the poor a sack of flour—it is more than they will get from the \$500,000,000 in appropriation just passed by congress."

Representative Dyer, Republican, Missouri: "A decision by the U.S. supreme court, sustaining the decision of Judge Clark, holding the 18th amendment to have been illegally adopted, would be the acceptable Christmas present. It would end this farce of prohibition."

Senator Tydings, Democrat, Maryland: "An end of the business depression—or, at any rate, a diminution of it."

Senator Watson, Republican, Indiana: "If their faith was justified, I'd restore the confidence of the American people in their government as an instrumental to advance their material interests and to promote their happiness."

#### Norris' Suggestion

Senator Norris, Republican, of Nebraska, insurgent leader of the senate: "The American people are to be congratulated on this Christmas day because, little by little, the Nye investigating committee is uncovering disreputable scandals by which the enemies of our country are attempting to strike a death blow to human liberty, the very cornerstone of our government, and to control our elections by illegal and dishonorable tactics."

Senator Couzens, Republican, Michigan: "A job for every man and woman would be the ideal gift."

Representative Garner of Texas, Democratic leader of the house: "The best gift would be that of sound, constructive leadership—leadership that could comprehend the national situation, and strive earnestly to solve the problems with which the mass of the American people are confronted."

Senator Blease, Democrat, South Carolina: "Give the American people money, more money and a little gift of human liberty."

Senator Sheppard, Democrat, Texas: "I'd give the people a constantly increasing earning power."

Representative Hawley, Republican, Oregon: "The return of business as usual."

Senator Barkley, Democrat, Kentucky: "Restore prosperity and provide everyone with the opportunity to make an honest living."

#### New Economic Conditions

Representative Cooper, Republican, Wisconsin, 80-year-old "dean" of the house: "Such a change in our economic system as would forever prevent what we now see at recurring intervals when honest, law-abiding, would-be industrious, thoroughly good men and women are turned adrift without regard for their economic condition and when they ask for work to support themselves and their dependents are told there is nothing for them to do and they must beg steal or starve. That would be the best Christmas gift. The world is a long way from being 'civilized' which complacently tolerates such a cruel spectacle."

Representative Blanton, Democrat, Texas: "If the government would pay the honest debt it owes the soldiers, by paying the adjusted compensation certificates, it would be the best Christmas present. It would do more to relieve depression than anything congress has done or has in mind."

Senator Hayden, Democrat, Arizona: "I hope the American people, this Christmas, will forget their troubles for a day."

Mrs. Elmer T. Coyle was hostess to the Althea club Monday evening at her home, West Park avenue, with three tables of bridge in play. The home was decorated for the Christmas season and a gift exchange was enjoyed by the members. Following the games a dainty lunch was served. Mrs. Corinne McDowell, Honolulu, was a guest.

Miss Alice Lodge student at Mt. Union college, Miss Mary Lodge, teacher in Brush High school, Cleveland, and Evan Lodge, instructor in Patrick Henry Junior High school, Cleveland, are spending the Christmas vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Lodge, South Elm street.

Mrs. Cora Crawford and daughter Effie are spending the holidays. Crawford is a student at Oberlin college.

Miss Doris Orr, teacher in the Lakewood schools, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cassius Orr, North Main street.

Walter Rupert, student at Ohio State university, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rupert, south of town.

There was no meeting of the Columbian Rotary club Monday eve-

ning, owing to the rush of the Christmas season.

Mrs. Janet Keller, teacher in the Cleveland schools, is spending his vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Keller, North Elm street.

Billy Henderson, who is attending school at Baden, Pa., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Henderson, Fairfield.

Miss Mae Frye, teacher in the Cleveland schools, is spending his vacation with her mother, Mrs. D. M. McGaffick, and family, Union street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ling and family are spending the Christmas season with relatives in Wilkinsburg, Pa.

Miss Evelyn Harmon, teacher in the Warren schools, is enjoying the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Harman, Middle street, Jerry Shantz has been confined to his home the last few days by illness.

R. R. Reese, Akron, was a recent guest of his daughter, Mrs. C. P. Esterly, and family, West Park avenue.

## Social Affairs

### HOLIDAY WEDDINGS

Mrs. Elizabeth Rice, of East Liverpool, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mose Williamson, and Joseph C. Hester, of East Liverpool, a pottery worker, were married at East Liverpool, by Rev. Fr. Walsh, at East Liverpool.

Miss Mildred C. McMahon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George McMahon, of East Liverpool, and Harry A. Muschweck, Industry, Pa., a welder, were married at Lisbon by M. K. Zimmerman, justice of the peace.

Miss Beulah Van Dyke and Bert Emerling, of East Liverpool, were married at Lisbon by Justice of the Peace M. K. Zimmerman. Mr. Emerling is a pottery employee.

Miss Ethel W. Kennedy, of Columbiana, formerly of Negley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Kennedy, and Grey L. Gleason, of New Waterford, a farmer, were married by Rev. B. H. Shaddock, pastor of the Rogers Methodist Episcopal church.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**  
Miss Elizabeth Shoemaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shoemaker, of Salem, and B. P. Strong, of Pittsburgh, an engineer, were granted a marriage license at Lisbon.

Neil F. Stevens and Harry E. Abrams, of East Palestine, have secured a marriage license at Lisbon.

**CHRISTMAS BREAKFAST**  
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Carey, East Sixth street, entertained relatives Thursday. In the company were Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Detimore, of Pittsburgh, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Carey and son, Robert, Carrollton.

**HOSTS AT DINNER**  
A group of relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Borton, who live south of Damascus, had a turkey dinner at their Christmas at their home. Some of the guests were from Salem, Cleveland and Lorain.

Rev. Gordon Rich, student at the Friends university, at Wichita, Kan., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rich, East Fourth street. Rev. Rich is also pastor of the Christian church at Towanda, Kan.

Miss Helen Reitzell, who is teaching in the high school at Dorset, is spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reitzell, South Union avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Jones and daughter, Donna, Maple street, spent Christmas at Bedford, Pa., where they were the guests of relatives.

Miss Emma Hoopes returned to Cleveland Thursday evening after spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hoopes, Franklin street.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moff and daughter, of Amherst, spent Christmas with Mr. Moff's sisters, Mrs. Homer Paxson, and Mrs. Anna Farmer, Washington avenue.

Jacob Maule and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haines and son, Robert, of Colerain, were guests Christmas at the home of Mrs. Hannah Maule, East Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Carr and son, Thomas, New Castle, Pa., spent Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carr, northwest of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Robertson and family, of Youngstown, spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Naragon, Woodland avenue.

Mrs. Phyllis Stoddard, of Youngstown, spent Christmas at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Addaline DeRodes, North Garfield avenue.

Gerald and Chester Beck of Cleveland, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beck, East Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dearn, of Pittsburgh, were guests Christmas of Mrs. Margaret Steiner, Washington avenue.

Lorraine Derr and Clifford Greenisen, students at Wittenberg college, Springfield, are home for the holidays.

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### GATHER FOR CHRISTMAS

Mr. and Mrs. Russell E. Smith, South Union avenue, entertained a group of relatives at a Christmas dinner Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Martin N. Schuller and daughters, Betty and Ruth, of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. John Schuller, Belfast, O., and Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Nunley of New Castle, Pa., were among the guests.

Miss Stella Kaley and brothers Albert and Paul of Cleveland, spent Thursday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kaley, Jennings avenue. William Polley, of Cleveland, was also a guest at the Kaley home.

Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Cox, of Birmingham, N. Y., who have been visiting their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cox, South Union avenue, expect to return to their home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Seeds returned Friday from Cleveland, where they were guests Christmas of their daughter, Mrs. Perry Astry, and her husband.

**FAMILY GATHERING**  
Among the guests at a family dinner Christmas at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Stanton Heck, East State street, were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Whitaere and Mr. and Mrs. E. U. Whitaere and family, Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald McLeod, Columbus, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koch, Pitcairn, Pa.

**AT COBB'S HOME**  
Mr. and Mrs. Joel Cobb were hosts at a family gathering Christmas at their home on North Ellsworth avenue. A dinner was a feature of the occasion. The guest list was composed of brothers and sisters of Mr. Cobb from Beloit, North Benton and Salem.

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**COUNTY LISTS ONE FATALITY IN NOVEMBER**  
172 Accidents Are Shown In Report Of Commission

A total of 172 accidents, one of which was fatal, occurred in Columbiana county during the month of November, the Ohio Industrial commission announced in a report today.

**Decrease Shown**

The county's mishaps showed a marked decrease over the month of October when 197 accidents occurred. There was one fatality in October with victims losing 7,203 days in working time, the commission's report said. In November 7,495 days were lost through accidents.

Forty-three lost more than seven days time from mishaps in November.

**Fatalities Are Fewer**

Up to November, state-wide fatalities show a decrease of 213 industrial deaths over the corresponding period of 1929. During the first 11 months this year there have been 1,172 industrial deaths in Ohio while in 1929 there were 1,197. A reduction of 25 fatalities despite the great death toll resulting from the mining disaster.

Industrial deaths throughout the state were higher in November than the previous month as a result of the coal mine disaster at Millfield, Athens county, in which 82 lives were lost. There were only 104 deaths in October.

**Seven Die In Fire**

WHITING, IND., Dec. 26—Bodies of seven men lay in the morgue here awaiting an inquest today into the Christmas morning fire which trapped the seven victims on the second floor of a rooming house as they were celebrating the Yuletide.

The dead are John Beberk, Tony Kusecich, Joseph Lucic, John Lucic, Victor Milarcevich, Mathew Steffich and Nick Slemich. Slemich was resuscitated after being given up for dead, but later succumbed to severe burns.

An eighth member of the party, badly burned, saved himself by leaping from a window. Flames blocked their escape by the stairways.

A liquor party was in progress police said, and this was blamed for their failure to leap from the windows.

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### THE SALEM, OHIO, NEWS

### FORMER GARAGE OWNER TO FACE FORGERY COUNT

H. G. Chamberlin Freed On Bond After Arrest In New York

LISBON, Dec. 26.—Howard G. Chamberlin, former garage operator at Stop 55, St. Clair township, arrested near Lockport, N. Y., late last week on an affidavit charging him with forging the name of Peter Naylor to a note for \$4,000 on an East Liverpool bank about June 11, 1929, was returned to Columbiana county in custody of Sheriff William J. Barlow and Deputy Sheriff George Hayes late Wednesday night.

He was released under \$5,000 bond for a preliminary hearing before the court of the Peace M. K. Zimmerman next Monday.

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# RESCUE PARTIES FIND 36 BODIES IN QUAKE RUINS

More Than 100 Injured As  
Tremors Rock Andes  
Town

(By United Press)  
SALTA, ARGENTINA, Dec. 26.—SALTA, ARGENTINA, Dec. 26.—Rescue parties had been recovering bodies from the ruins of the town of La Poma today as rescue parties in the debris of the village practically razed by an earthquake.

The injured were estimated at over 100. The earthquake dead were buried as soon as the bodies were identified. The normal population of the town, isolated in the foot hills of the Andes, is about 3,000. Earth Tremors Cease.

Minor earth tremors, recurrent after the initial major earthquake, had ceased. Reports received here said that wide cracks opened in the ground and engulfed men, women, and children. Most of the buildings in La Poma were reported destroyed. The earthquake was felt throughout northern Argentina, but no loss of life or serious property damage was reported from other towns.

Inhabitants of the village, badly frightened by their experience, said that when daylight came after the earthquake, columns of smoke were seen rising from the surrounding hill tops, while subterranean rumblings continued throughout Wednesday morning.

The majority of the victims were killed in their beds, caught by falling walls. Seven entire families were reported killed in their bed-rooms.

Telegraph Operator Hero  
An unidentified telegraph operator employed by the Argentine National Telegraph became the hero of a night of panic. He rushed to the telegraph office and tried to establish communication with the outside world, but finally had to leave the building when ceilings began to fall. He carried his telegraph instruments into an open field and improvised communication with one of the relief expeditions who had arrived and sent to the stricken.

## MARKETS

### SPECULATIVE ACTIVITY LOW

Number Of Issues, How-ever, Rally Above Wed-nednesday Close

(By Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Speculative activity was at the lowest ebb in weeks during the early trading on the stock market today. Declines of a point or so in Allied Chemical, Westinghouse, American Telephone, American Can and U. S. Steel, in the first hour were easily recovered, however, and a number of representative issues rallied above the Wednesday close.

Auburn Auto, after sagging 3 points more than a point net, climbed more than a point net. Eastman Kodak and General American Tank advanced 3 and there were gains of 1 to 2 in Case, Standard Oil of New Jersey, Atchison, Houston Oil, Foster Wheeler and Loew's. International Combustion Engineering preferred was particularly strong, soaring 6 points.

Gillette showed early weakness and dropped 2 points to the new low of 19 1/2 before meeting support. R. H. Macy and Southern Railway were also heavy.

Call money renewed at 2 1/2 per cent.

HOGS—1,200; steady to 10 spots more higher; top 875; on weights 40 lbs down; 220-250 lbs 650<sup>4</sup> 600 carrying occasional lighter offerings at outside.

CATTLE—230, fully steady; spots strong on cows; bulk common to medium steers 75<sup>4</sup> 835; occasional lot down to 650 and under; low cutter to good cows 3<sup>4</sup> 6, bulk sausages; bulls 550 down.

Sheriff G. D. Wilson said his deputy was slain when he entered the Smith home to make an arrest on a robbery charge. The sheriff said a general gun battle then broke out between the deputy's brother, Pierce Mosley, and several occupants of the home, who, he said, evidently set a trap for the officer in an attempt to prevent arrest of their kinmen.

**PIITTSBURGH LIVESTOCK**  
HOGS—4,200; holdover 300; slow; 10-15 lower; 140-210 lbs. 8.65<sup>4</sup> 8.75; top 8.80; 220-264 lbs. 8.40<sup>4</sup> 8.60; sows around 25 lower; good grades 7.00<sup>4</sup> 7.25.

CATTLE—25; nominally steady, calves, 125; steady to strong; bulk better grades vealers 9.50<sup>4</sup> 11.50; top 12.60.

Sheep—2,000; strong; choice native lambs 8.75<sup>4</sup> 9.00; best fed western 9.00; medium to good lambs 7.00<sup>4</sup> 8.00.

**TREASURY RECEIPTS**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Treasury receipts for Dec. 22 were \$13,195,368.98; expenditures \$17,195,361.86; balances \$327,797,579.21.

BERKELEY, CAL., Dec. 26.—Miss Charlotte Gay, 18-year-old student nurse had to work Christmas day.

"Another automobile accident," a doctor commented as a woman patient was brought to the hospital. Hand me those bandages, Miss Gay.

As the nurse reached for the bandages she looked at the patient. It was her mother. An hour later Mrs. Henrietta Gay, 48, died in her daughter's arms.

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## DEATHS

### JOSEPH BARROW

Joseph Barrow, 69, of Washingtonville, member of the village council, died suddenly at 11:30 p.m. Wednesday. Death was due to a heart attack.

Mr. Barrow was born in England. He had spent most of his life in Washingtonville. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias lodge. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Loudon Barrow; one daughter, Mrs. E. C. Anderson Chicago; one sister, Mrs. Mark Noble, Ephrata, Wash., and one grandson. Funeral service will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday at the home. Interment will be in Hope cemetery, Salem.

### SHIRLEY McGAFFICK

Shirley McGaffick, nine-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald McGaffick, of Lisbon, died this morning at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Oberholtzer, at New Waterford.

Funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday at the home of her grandparents; interment will be in the Columbian cemetery.

## GANGSTER'S FOE IN CHICAGO RACE FOR MAYORALTY

Judge John H. Lyle Looms As Opponent For Thompson

(By Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—A new candidate for the Republican mayoralty nomination, Judge John H. Lyle, militant foe of gangsters, was in the race today with a platform in which he promised to break up what he termed alliances between "crime and politics."

**Will Oppose Thompson**  
Judge Lyle, who as a jurist on the Municipal court bench has gained widespread publicity by his treatment of gangsters, will oppose Mayor William Hale Thompson, Charles V. Barrett, chairman of the county board of tax review, and many other candidates who may enter the contest before the February primary is held. Thompson and Barrett already are in the race.

Referring to Chicago gangsters and their bands of followers, Judge Lyle said in his statement that it was "ridiculous to assume that all these officers (Cook county) can not suppress and almost totally annihilate them."

"No candidate for mayor", he added, "can hope for the votes of the good citizens unless he defines in unmistakable terms his position on the issue of divorcing crime from politics, and unless the language of that declaration accords with his record of public service."

### Where Crime Lingers Converge

"I have hesitated because of the work I am already doing in the effort to purge Chicago of the criminal gangs that infest the city. The mayoralty office is the one spot in Chicago where all the lines that touch crime and racketeering converge. The mayor is the law enforcement officer, charged with responsibility for protecting lives, property and reputation of the citizens. He is head of the police department and directs the prosecuting branch of his city government. With this in mind, and believing that as mayor I could promptly and completely finish what I have been engaged in as a judge, I have decided to become a candidate."

### THREE KILLED IN GUN BATTLE

Search For Robber Leads To Clash In Louisville Home

LOUISVILLE, KY., Dec. 26.—Owsley county officers today were investigating the shooting in which Deputy Sheriff John Mosley, Miss Martha Smith and Hilt Heardle were killed, and Leonard Lawrence, and Andy Smith, brothers of the slain woman, were wounded.

Deputy Sheriff G. D. Wilson said his deputy was slain when he entered the Smith home to make an arrest on a robbery charge. The sheriff said a general gun battle then broke out between the deputy's brother, Pierce Mosley, and several occupants of the home, who, he said, evidently set a trap for the officer in an attempt to prevent arrest of their kinmen.

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### MECHANICSBURG MAN IS EXPERT ON BALLISTICS

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Guns

(By Associated Press)

MECHANICSBURG, Dec. 26.—Although to the ballistic world he has, for many years, been the wizard of gunpowder, Brigadier General Odus C. Horney, of the United States Army, is but another of this city's "favorite sons".

General Horney, recently retired, returns to this place of his youth frequently, and each time he once again becomes the young man who left here to achieve fame in the outside world.

He entered West Point in 1887, and graduated four years later.

Perfect New Rifle

During his army career General Horney worked with two other officers in the Springfield arsenal, Springfield, Mass., and the trio designed and perfected the .30 caliber rifle which is now the standard of the army and navy.

But this was only the beginning of the distinguished officer's career.

He later designed personally the firing mechanism which is now used on all of the coast artillery guns in the country. This invention was perfected while he was stationed at Watervliet Arsenal, near Albany, N. Y.

His untiring study of gunpowder soon won for him the honor of being one of the country's leading authorities on the chemical, which led to his appointment as chief of ordnance when he was stationed in the nation's capital.

Builds Powder Works

Later he built and placed in operation the army powder works at Picatinny, New Jersey.

During the World War he served in the Ordnance Department and in the office of the Secretary of War. He was eventually placed in charge of the supply department, and then in charge of estimates and requirements of the United States Army. Since the Armistice he has been on duty in the Philippines, China, Japan, the Dutch East Indies, South Africa and South America.

But Mechanicsburg will be glad to claim him as a part time citizen now that his more arduous duties have ended.

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### ABOUT TOWN

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Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Kintner and children, of Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schlag and children, of Columbiana; and Mrs. Retta Henry and children, and Mrs. William Stanley and children, of Sebring, were among the guests at a family dinner Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Detwiler, East State street.

Christmas Party  
Employees of the South Ellsworth avenue A. & P. store had a Christmas party Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Denley, Tenth street.

Gifts were exchanged and games and music were favored diversions.

CITY HOSPITAL NOTES  
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lodwick, of North Lima, are the parents of a son, born this morning at the Salem City hospital.

Mrs. H. H. Sharp, Highland avenue, has entered the hospital for medical treatment.

PLAN TEA DANCE  
Hildebrandt's orchestra of Alliance, will play for the annual Tea-Dance, which will be held on New Year's day at the Elks' ballroom from 4 until 7 p. m.

### SEPARATED 40 YEARS, SISTERS ARE REUNITED

Discover They Had Lived  
But Twenty-Four  
Miles Apart

Builds Powder Works

MARION, Dec. 29.—Tongues are wagging in wonderment here as they repeat the tale of two sisters, living but twenty-four miles apart, who for forty years looked at life through their living room windows, each unaware of the other's existence.

The sisters are Mrs. Mary Finley, 56, who lives on a quiet street here, and Mrs. Emma Klahn, 46, whose residence is behind a clump of shade trees in Crestline.

Mrs. Finley has just discovered Mrs. Klahn—and Mrs. Klahn has just discovered Mrs. Finley. Together they have made less general the statement of the globe trotter from Madrid, who met at a chance acquaintance from London in Singapore, and exclaimed: "It's a small world!"

World Is Small

Geographically, Mrs. Finley is certain, the world which hid from her Mrs. Klahn is exceedingly small, but actually it was several universes large.

More than 40 years ago the sisters played together in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McCormick, in Lucas, Richland County. At that time there were five children. These were Aurelia, Mary, Ann, Dan and Jim.

Aurelia lost her identity. She vanished into the realm of supposition. The home was broken up by misfortune, and Aurelia, a fair-haired youngster with a ready smile, was adopted. Her name was changed by the alchemy of the courts. She became known as Emma Schmidt—and she is the present Mrs. Emma Klahn.

Illness was the cause of the separation of the children. Three of them, Ann, Dan and Aurelia were placed in the children's home at Mansfield.

Visitors thronged the home each Sunday. They looked at the inmates. Here was one with a ready smile—there one who seemed apt at sewing. A boy played soldier over in the corner. Another swung on a trapeze in the yard. Such children were adopted by the kindly visitors often.

Such a child was Aurelia. She was adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmidt, of Crestline. Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt were thrifty German folk. Emma was a name which went well with Schmidt. They tried the combination and liked it. Aurelia McCormick ceased to exist.

Her foster parents closed the door to the past. The child grew up unaware of her actual identity. This situation existed until she matured.

Aware of Mystery  
Other members of the family became reunited. They went out into the world, wondering what had happened to Aurelia—who had amused them with her childish antics.

When her foster parents died, she became aware that her life was a mystery—and that her origin was unsolved. Neighbors told her of her adoption.

Following their clue, she went to her old home in Lucas. Then to Ashland and finally to Marion. Post office employees did the rest.

"You are my sister," she said, stepping over the threshold of the Finley residence.

"And you are mine," replied Mrs. Finley.

Truth being stranger than fiction, the tale of the two sisters will be told as often here as there are ears to listen.

Sue For Judgment

LISBON, Dec. 26.—Judgment for \$3,468.69 is asked by William and Fred Windland, doing business as Windland Construction Co., against the William Erlanger Co., also of East Liverpool, as a balance owing on a contract, according to a petition filed for the plaintiff by Brooks & Thompson.

The petition relates that the Windland company furnished labor and material for new construction work for the defendant company, and that while a major part of the contract price has been paid, there is still a balance owing.

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# Passing Of 1930 Marks End Of Great Sporting Year In Salem

## School, Sandlot Sport Activities Reach Peak; High Teams Successful

An era marked with few athletic events of outstanding proportions but one which brought before Salem sporting lovers a period of great achievements will pass with the advent of the New Year, 1931. Scholastic and sandlot athletic contests—basketball, football, and track—all brought success to Salem representatives. In records of victory and defeat high school teams here were shaded by marks set up by the previous year, 1929, but in general the passing twelve months brought before followers of sport here normally successful campaigns in all lines of competition.

Abnormal success was reached in all municipal league affairs, with baseball and basketball leagues sponsored by the city drawing greater interest from fandom than ever before. Hundreds of fans attended softball league games at Centennial park field while large crowds assembled at the Memorial building gymnasium as spectators in Class A and B cage activities during the 1929-30 season.

### High Season Successful

Coach Floyd W. Stone, at the helm of Salem High athletics for a third season, brought his basketball team of last season from the abyss of a disappointing early start to a record of 12 victories and nine defeats. The scholastic reserve cage quintet, tutored by Stone's assistant, Harold C. McCord, since succeeded by Franklin P. Lewis, ended its campaign with unusual success, winning 12 out of 16 games. The varsity team, playing one of its greatest games, battled the powerful Akron South team to a 21-20 decision at the Akron district tournament to complete their season. Salem's varsity girls team won nine games, lost seven and tied one.

In city Class A league competition Scholastic Golden Eagle team finished far ahead of the field in the first half then coasted in the second half, the title being won in the latter round by Perry McArtor's Fiorist quintet. In the championship playoff the Golden Eagle won two consecutive games before capricious houses.

The Salem Saxons won the Penn-O-Hio German league championship for the second time in three seasons and had a great team.

### Hardwares Win Title

Baseball season was featured only by softball league activities. The Salem Hardware team and Kiwanis club aggregation annexed titular honors during the season while the Hardwares trounced the Kiwanians with ease in the series for the city championship in three straight games. The city was represented by no independent or semi-pro combination other than the Dun Eden lake nine, backed by George W. Dunn, Salem chiropractor, and coached by J. Donald "Pete" Scullion. Dunny Eden had a great season as far as victories were concerned, but the team proved a financial failure, failing at any time during the summer to draw a paying crowd.

Coach Stone and his aide, Lewis, had great prospects for an unusually successful season in football. Ineligibility of two star linemen and inexperience of other players in the first game resulted in the team's defeat in the campaign's premiere at Canton McKinley. From then on no further defeat was sustained, the team winning eight games and tying two played with Youngstown South and Alliance. The Stonemen tied with Alliance for second place in the Northeastern Ohio Big Ten Intercollegiate league.

This circuit was far from a success in either the basketball or football seasons but promises to advance in popularity in coming athletic seasons. Interest in the league among Salem fans is still secondary, the county circuit still being the major attraction here.

### Scholastic Win Titles

Coach Stone replaced Wilbur J. Springer as head of Red and Black track activities at the start of the

### LEETONIA

St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school held their annual Christmas party Tuesday evening. A short program preceded the party. Recitations and songs were given by the children of the primary department and classes taught by Misses Florence L. Wilhelm and Rhea Miller and Mrs. Forrest Stiter.

A short play under the direction of Mrs. W. S. Melling was given.

Many attended the Christmas program at the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening. This program was given.

Organ solo, James Kunkle; prayer, Rev. J. D. McBride; vocal number, Eleanor Hall; recitation, Barbara Jean; recitation, Billy Webster.

Mrs. D. D. Shantz returned to the home of her uncle, Harry Tittsler, Monday, after several days visit at her home at Massillon. Mrs. Shantz, daughters, Misses Dorothy and Frances Mae are visiting relatives for their vacation.

Miss Jane and Jack Connors of Akron are visiting their mother, Mrs. William Hoffman.

Miss Andrey Rupp of Youngstown are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Longenecker.

Mrs. Eldon Holt, Jr. and Mrs. Charles Longenecker were Columbian visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lundstrum of Youngstown are visiting Mrs. Lundstrum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Howell.

1930 track and field season and developed an outstanding array of stars, chief among whom were Bill Smith, John Terry, Henry Reese, Ed Beck, Harold Walker and Myron Winnery. The team finished on top in the Columbian county meet and tied for first place honors with East Palestine in the Northeastern Ohio competition. New records were registered by Smith and Walker in various meets.

Things are looking up at Salem High and prospects for a continuation of the school's great athletic performances are bright. The basketball team is certain to finish above the .500-mark for the season and may finish in front in the district titanic race. In football Coach Stone has plenty of star backs left while linemen won't be so numerous. Track will be another boomer for the Red and Black also in the coming 1931 season.

Records of various scholastic teams during 1930 here follow:

**Football**  
Salem 9, Canton McKinley 26; Salem 12, Akron West 0; Salem 95, Leetonia 0; Salem 27, Warren 6; Salem 40, New Philly 0; Salem 14, Youngstown East 6; Salem 13, Westerville 7; Salem 6, Youngstown South 6; Salem 45, Lisbon 0; Salem 0, Alliance 0; Salem 26, Sebring 0. Salem won 8, lost 1, tied 2.

**Track**  
Defeated Canton McKinley Akron Central in triangular meet.

Won honors from 20 other schools in first annual night relay.

Won title in first annual district Big Ten league meet.

Finishes second in Carnegie Tech meet; 35 schools competing.

Won county track, field champion-ship.

Tied with East Palestine for district championship.

Junior high tracksters won district meet at Canton.

Placed high among leaders in state meet at Columbus.

**Basketball**

Boys—Finished season with good record after bad start.

Girls—Tied with Lisbon for county honors.

Reserves—Had best record in history for reserve team, winning 12 out of 16 games.

**Leading Cueists To Clash In New York**

**NEW YORK** Dec. 26—Eight of America's leading pocket billiard players will compete in the interstate tourney to start here next Monday, it was announced today. The winner will receive a diamond emblem and \$1,000.

The entries are Onofrio Lauri, Brooklyn; Arthur Woods, New York; Benjie Allen, Kansas City; Marcel Camp, Detroit; Andrew Ponzi, Philadelphia; Tom Hueston, Charles Seaback and Joe Procta.

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## ALABAMA SEEN AS FAVORITE IN BATTLE IN WEST

**Betting Odds On Contest Favor Southerners Over Washington State**

**(By United Press)**

PASADENA, CALIF., Dec. 26.—The strange process of making football favorites has placed Alabama in that position for the Tournament of Roses game against Washington State, New Year's day.

Betting odds generally favor Alabama, with the Southerners ruling as high as 2 to 1 favorites in many quarters. Strangely, it is hard to find a Washington State backer even in this section where the Cougars are undefeated and untied champions.

**CLOSE Battle Foreseen**

Every possible comparison—past performances, playing strength, weight and speed—indicate the closest sort of battle between the rival teams. Both teams have won nine games. Alabama has amassed 247 points to its opponents 13. Washington State has scored 227 points to its opponents 32. Each has put its mettle in rough going—Washington State in beating Southern California, 7-6, and Alabama in defeating Vanderbilt, 12-7, and Georgia, 13-0.

The fallacy of football favorites is exposed by one expert who favors Alabama because the southern players appear to have stronger legs and bigger necks. The frail underpinnings of Mel Hein, All-American center on many teams, and Jack Parodi, guard, is weighed against Washington State's chances at this prognosticator's system.

**Favored Under Dog**

With psychology on its side, Washington State seems to be the "favored underdog." Memories are short down football alley, but surely there are some who can recall the fact of the last overwhelming victory in this locality: Notre Dame 27; Southern California, 0.

"This underdog stuff suits me and my boys fine," remarks Babe Hollingsberry, Washington State coach. "The more we hear it the better we like it."

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**Dixie Cagers Meet Big Ten Quintets**

**CHICAGO**, Dec. 26—Two Dixie college teams, University of Alabama from the old south and Rice Institute from the southwest, will provide basketball competition for Big Ten and other mid-west colleges during the holidays.

Alabama, with record of 20 wins in 20 games last year, plays Butler at Indianapolis Monday and Northwestern university at Evansville Wednesday. They also play Wittenberg college at Springfield before they return south.

Rice, coached by Russell "Pug" Daugherty, former Illinois basketball captain, plays Illinois Wesleyan at Bloomington tonight.

LONDON—British turfmen know how to keep inside information from getting outside. A court has ruled that it is all right to flog stable boys who tell tipsters things.

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# Flashes :: of Life

**By Associated Press**  
CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—The unwritten law of the stage, "the play must go on", failed to work here last night for the first time within the memory of the oldest dramatic critics in Chicago.

Leslie Howard, an actor, appeared before the curtain in a dressing gown and announced that the play could not continue because of his own illness. Laryngitis stopped the show.

He was enthusiastically applauded.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—Danger, a peg bulldog whose owner established a trust fund for him at a local bank, was on his way to Hot Springs, Ark., for a winter vacation today, on the profits of some of the securities placed with the banking institution in his behalf. He went alone, in a crate.

His owner, a Chicago business man who couldn't arrange his own affairs for a winter vacation, stayed at home.

NEW YORK—"Prepare now for prosperity" is the slogan announced for National Thrift week, January 17-23, by Adolph Lewishohn, chairman of the national thrift committee of the Y. M. C. A.

CHICAGO—Golfers whom John D. Rockefeller encountered Christmas have dimes; policemen found by his daughters, Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick, on Lake Shore Drive, have \$5 gold pieces.

WEST ORANGE, N. J.—After intensive holiday study Thomas A. Edison perhaps has some ideas for new inventions. He had a dinner of crackers and milk, played with the grandchildren a bit, then devoted himself to lengthy perusal of technical publications.

WASHINGTON—Employees of the White House have ash trays and jewel cases made of wood taken from the White House when it was remodeled two years ago. Accompanying each gift was a bit of free verse by Mrs. Hoover, telling how a pine tree on the hills of Maryland became a portion of the storied structure and how the gifts via waste basket and fire, eventually will go, free smoke before free wind, to touch again the hills of Maryland.

NEW YORK—Janet and Blanche Hutchinson, five and eight years old respectively, have a lion cub to play with. It came by airplane for Christmas, their father, George Hutchinson, having obtained it at the Detroit zoo. It is two months old.

## Opera Remains and Knows No Barriers or Frontiers

Despite Timeworn Theme That Opera Is Dying, Each Successive Season Brings Forth Large Audiences to Enjoy the Melodic Gems.



MME. GADSKI ABOVE: MME. GALLI-CURCI

By ALICE ALDEN  
NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Opera is dying, its swan song is certainly a tuneful one. For many years now there have been rumors, outright statements, interviews and articles all embodying the same theme. It is, that opera is dying and that is death is due at any moment. And yet, season after season, opera is played in various cities in the new world as well as the old, and large audiences including rows of "standees" throng the opera houses to hear their favorite works, and favorite artists.

In New York the opera season is in full swing. Novelties and revivals have been the order of the day and the operagoing public likes these but is tress to the old favorites containing the melodic gems that have become familiar to and beloved by millions whose only link with the theatre is through the talkies. Whenever "Faust," "Carmen," "Butterfly" or the lovely "La Boheme" is announced, a sell-out performance is generally assured. And as an opera audience

But the former Wagnerian prima donna has been singing guest roles with a German opera company that charged reasonable prices

without playing to crowded houses. People want opera perfectly presented with fine artists, chorus and orchestra.

Jeritza is one artist who believes implicitly in the continued popularity of opera. And why wouldn't she? During the various cycles of Wagnerian works given each season at the Metropolitan, she sees nothing but packed houses. These cycles are subscription performances and the management generally announces before the cycles start, that the house has been fully subscribed.

Jeritza is one of the artists who has given herself entirely to music.

Little is heard of temperamental outbreaks, quarrels and argument

of the variety that were current

when the stately blonde Viennese first appeared in New York. Instead her temperament has been diverted into artistic endeavors and she has become one of the most popular artists in the company, popular not only with the public, but with her fellow artists. Just now she is principal artist in the revival of the tuneful "Bacchus," another of the novelties produced this season, for this lovely opera has not been performed for so many years, that instead of a revival it has all the marks of a new work.

Lucrilla Boni, for so many years leading prima donna at the Met, believes, too, that opera is quite healthy. She finds that her work in New York during the six months

season in which she is continually employed and the operas performed at Ravinia Park take up her entire working year and yield her an enormous income to boot.

Gigli and Martinelli, among the tenor song-birds, know only that opera is successful. One look at their bankbooks and salary checks is enough to convince them.

Of course, people do want some variation from the time-honored tradition. Singers have learnt to act their roles, as well as sing them, to introduce new bits of "business" to keep slim figures and look young.

They realize that voice is not enough. And as for those who claim that opera is dead, is it sour grapes or just sour notes?

## EAST ROCHESTER

B. F. Watson of Sharon, Pa., is spending his vacation at home.

Howard Brenner has returned to his home from St. Luke's hospital in Cleveland, where he underwent an operation for the removal of his right eye.

Mrs. Philena Robbins is at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elson Robbins.

Raymond Harsh is visiting relatives in Uhrichsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reed of Alliance visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Glass.

Mrs. J. E. Hill and Mrs. William Evans were guests when Mrs. H. H.

Essick entertained members of the ladies' Sunday school class of New Franklin at her home near Moultrie. There were 40 present.

Earl Vanpelt of Canton visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Vanpelt.

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| 75c Sta. Comb. . . . .       | 50c       |
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